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S E C R E T [redacted] CITE NPIC 9656 25X1
DIA FOR SAFSS; ACSI FOR SPAD; FT. BRAGG FOR CONTIC AND XVIII AIRBORNE CORPS; SAC PASS 544 ARTW; USAFE FOR IDOM, IRC FOR IRCE; TAC FOR 480 PTG.

1. THIS PRELIMINARY CABLE IS BASED ON THE INITIAL SCAN OF PHOTOGRAPHY FROM [redacted] OVER THE 50-KILOMETER STANDSTILL ZONE OF EGYPT. 25X1 25X1

2. THE SCAN WAS BEEN ACCOMPLISHED IN A SHORT TIME IN RESPONSE TO PRIORITY REQUIREMENTS TO SEARCH FOR NEW SAM SITES AND TO DETERMINE OCCUPANCY OF KNOWN SITES WITHIN THE ZONE. SUBSEQUENT DETAILED ANALYSIS OF THE PHOTOGRAPHY MAY RESULT IN ADDITIONAL INFORMATION OR CHANGES IN ASSESSMENTS OF OCCUPANCY. THE CRITERION FOR DETERMINING OCCUPANCY OF SAM SITES WAS THE IDENTIFICATION WITHIN THE SITE OF MISSILE EQUIPMENT, DUMMY MISSILE EQUIPMENT, OR OBJECTS WHICH COULD NOT BE IDENTIFIED AS NON-MISSILE-RELATED EQUIPMENT. THUS THE DESIGNATION OF A SITE AS OCCUPIED DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A JUDGMENT THAT THE SITE IS OPERATIONAL.

3. [redacted] COVERED ALL OF THE 152 PREVIOUSLY KNOWN SAM SITES IN THE EGYPTIAN STANDSTILL ZONE ON GENERALLY POOR TO FAIR PHOTOGRAPHY. 25X1

A. NO NEW SAM SITES WERE IDENTIFIED.

B. A TOTAL OF 108 SAM SITES IN THE EGYPTIAN STANDSTILL ZONE WERE OCCUPIED AND 32 WERE UNOCCUPIED. OCCUPANCY STATUS OF 12 SITES COULD NOT BE DETERMINED.

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C. NINE SITES HAD UNDERGONE A CHANGE IN STATUS SINCE THEIR LAST KNOWN OCCUPANCY STATUS. SIX SITES HAD CHANGED FROM UNOCCUPIED TO OCCUPIED (SITES, 43, 363, 372, 384, 393, AND 395). THREE SITES HAD CHANGED FROM OCCUPIED TO UNOCCUPIED (SITES 3, 361, AND 367).

4. THE OCCUPANCY STATUS OF SAM SITES IN THE STANDSTILL ZONE AND MILITARY ACTIVITY WILL BE REPORTED IN SUBSEQUENT CABLES.

S E C R E T [redacted] END OF MESSAGE GROUP ONE 25X1

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